## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF TENNESSEE NASHVILLE DIVISION

RECEIVED IN CLERK'S OFFICE

JUN 0 8 2016

U.S. DISTRICT COURT MID. DIST. TENN.

SHERON B. DOSS,

Plaintiff.

NO. 3-:15-CV-00904
Twelve Person Jury Demand
V.

JUDGE ALETA TRAUGER
MAGISTRATE JUDGE JOHN S. BRYANT
NORDSTROM, INC, N.A.,et al.,

Defendants.

## LETTER OF SUPPORT AND CONCERN ON BEHALF OF PLAINTIFF, SHERON B. DOSS FROM THE LOCAL CHAPTER OF NAACP

The Nashville Branch of NAACP have been familiar and worked with the Plaintiff, Sheron B. Doss for more than forty years. She, her late husband and her daughter have all served as respected, influential, positive community resources. The Plaintiff possesses a Bachelor's of Science Degree in Social Welfare, Master's Degree in Social Work with Specialization in Administration, Management and Planning and is a Juris Doctor. She has worked with the Public Defender's Office, has worked in private law firms and possesses the highest regards for the law and would have engaged in this litigation without a very belief that a wrong indeed had occurred.

Our review of the facts concludes there are legitimate questions of fairness in the manner in how the defendant's employees in Nashville were supervised. There are questions of training and supervisory skills by possessed by managers regarding the treatment of employees on a fair and equal basis. Further management overall has

shown disregard for staff complaints of mistreatment and even appears to find it amusing when complaints are documented.

Further nearly a year after the filing of the complaint by the Plaintiff, similar complaints still being lodged by similarly situated employees. Answers are needed.

The Nashville Branch of the NAACP now stands with her and respectfully urges this Honorable Court to thoroughly vet the claims of the Plaintiff through the prism of the law that justice requires.

Respectfully Submitted,

WALTER T. SEARCY Legal Redress Committee

## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that I have this <u>7<sup>TH</sup></u> day of <u>June</u>, 2016, have forwarded a true and complete copy of this Letter of Support to the following attorneys:

Mr. Robert E. Boston, Attorney at Law WALLER LANSDEN DORTCH & DAVIS, LLP 511 Union Street Suite 2700 Nashville, TN 37219-8966 Ms. Brittany R. Stancombe, Attorney at Law WALLER LANSDEN DORTCH & DAVIS, LLP 511 Union Street Suite 2700 Nashville, TN 37219-8966

Walter T. Searcy

**NAACP NASHVILLE BRA** 

1308 Jefferson Street

Nashville, TN 37208

ATTN: Office of the Clerk

U.S. District Court for the Middle District of Tennessee

Suite #800, 801 Broadway

Nashville, TN 37203

1000





U.S. POSTAGE
NASHVILLE, TN
107221
JUN 07 16
JUN 07 16
JUN 07 16
JUN 07 17
JU

37203\$3859 0032

|गितिमार्किमार्किमार्किमार्किमार्किमार्किकार्विकार्विकार्विकार्विकार्विकार्विकार्विकार्विकार्विकार्विकार्विकार्

U.S. DISTRICT COURT MID. DIST. TENN

RECEIVED IN CLERK'S OFFICE

Case 3:15-cv-00904 Document 54 Filed 06/08/16 Page 3 of 3 PageID #: 434